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# **CHOICE LONG ISLAND CABBAGE SEED**

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OTHER SPECIAL SEEDS FOR CRITICAL PLANTERS

OFFERED BY

## FRANCIS BRILL CO.

HEMPSTEAD. (L. I.) N. Y.

To Gardeners, Truckers and Plant Growers:

Our Business of Seed Growing was first established by John Brill, father of the late Francis Brill, at Jersey City, N. J., in 1828.

Francis Brill, after serving several years with his father, started on his own account at Newark, N. J., in 1859—removed to Long Island in 1870, where he made a specialty of growing cabbage seed, and supplying a few other specialties grown by the most reliable growers, until his death, March 24th, 1913.

The undersigned son of Francis Brill, was raised on a seed farm, graduated from the New Hampshire Agricultural College (1885), served nine years with two of the largest seed houses in the country and is fully qualified to carry on the business.

Our Cabbage Seed stocks are as pure as it is possible to make them Each variety is grown far apart on separate farms, to prevent mixing by the winds and by bees which carry the pollen from flower to flower when planted in close proximity to each other. The fields are carefully "rogued" (inferior heads discarded) and a supply of the very finest heads set apart from the main crop for the next years stock seed.

Other seeds which we offer are grown for us by special growers selected by the late Francis Brill after careful tests of their stocks, and all orders receive the same careful attention exercised by him for 54 years.

#### A. WALTER BRILL.

Terms:-Strictly cash with order. In consideration whereof we will deliver, free of charge, to any point in the United States or Canada.

Remit by P. O. Money Order on Hempstead, N. Y., Express Money Order, Registered Letter or Certified Check.

Write your name and address plainly, giving also Express Office if different from Post Office, when seeds are to be sent by express.

THIS LIST CANCELS ALL PREVIOUS QUOTATIONS.

FRANCIS BRILL CO. HEMPSTEAD, (L. I.) NEW YORK.

#### CABBAGE SEED.

Cabbage Seed is our Leading Specialty, and we grow it by the ton, supplying many of the most Particular Seed Houses throughout the country. Ask your local dealer if he sells Brill's L. I. Cabbage Seed. If not, send us a trial order.

These prices are for ounces, ¼ lbs., and single lbs. If you can use several pounds of one kind send a list of requirements for special prices on

large lots.

#### EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES.

EATHA BANGI VARIBIES.		
Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Extra Early Express, Earliest of all	70	\$2.50
Extra Early Wakefield, Very early, small20	70	2.50
True Jersey Wakefield, John Brill Stock20	70	2.50
Early Large Wakefield, Thorburn strain, very fine20	70	2.50
Charleston Wakefield, Largest Wakefield20	70	2.50
Early Winningstadt, Very popular sort20	70	2.50
Brill's Early Eureka, Earliest flat head20	70	2.50
Hend. Early Spring, Similar to above20	70	2.50
**Brill's Early Cannon Ball, new, extra fine30	1.10	4.00
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\*\* Medium size, perfectly round, hard as a rock and will stand a long time without bursting.

## SECOND EARLY VARIETIES.

Brill's Ey. Df. Flat Dutch, (Fine Solid Heads)20	70	2.50
Burpee's All Head Early, Similar to above20	70	2.50
Stein's Ey. Flat Dutch, a Texas favorite20	70	2.50
Strang's Ey. Flat Dutch, a New York favorite20	70	2.50
Brill's L. I. Second Early, very fine20	70	2.50
Brill's Nonsuch, Heads full, leaves compact20	70	2.50
Henderson's Succession, Well known sort20	70	2.50
Henderson's Ey. Summer, Well known sort20	70	2.50
Ey. Dwarf Drumhead, Very large early20	70	2.50
All Seasons or Vandergaw, (Well Known Sort)20	70	2.50
Lupton's Improved Vandergaw, Similar to above20	70	2.50
Fottler's Brunswick, Old standard sort20	70	2.50

#### LATE OR WINTER VARIETIES.

Premium Flat Dutch, Well known sort20	70	2.50
Brill's Excelsior, Lighter colored, very fine20	70	2.50
Warren's Stone Mason, A New England favorite20	70	2.50
improved Late Drumhead, Very popular sort20	70	2.50
Burpee's Surehead, Similar to above20	70	2.20
Louis illo Doumbood Vory short stam 20_	7.0	250
St. Louis Late Market, a Western Favorite20	70	2.50
World Beater, Very large solid heads20	70	2:50
Autumn King, Similar to above	70	2.50
Volga or Russian, Also called Stone Head20	70	2.50
*Danish Winter Ball Head, Medium stem20	70	2.50
Perfection Drumhead Savory, Largest and best25	80	3.00
Brill's Wonderfull Red, "Best ever produced"25	80	3.00
1. I. Blue Top, Extra fine late30	1.10	4.00

\*Our L. I. grown Danish Ball Head stood first in a field of 26 contestants as to the number of tens produced per acre, in a three year test, made by the Pennsylvania State College Experiment Station, 1909-10-11. SeeBulletin No. 119 issued in December 1912. Our strain has a much shorter stem than the imported stock.

#### IMPORTED VARITIES.

Danish Summer Ball Head, Best Danish stock20	70	2.50
Danish Winter Round Head, Best Danish stock20	70	2.50
Enkhuizen Glorie, Best Danish stock20	70	2.50
Copenhagen Market, Best Danish stock30	1.10	4.00

#### BEET SEED.

	Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Brill's "Coal Black" new, very tender, fine shape	20	60	2.25
Crosby's Egyptian, Very early, dark red	10	35	1.25
Detroit Dark Eed, Very popular sort	10	35	1.25
Extra Early Eclipse, Well known sort	10	35	1.25
Long Smooth Blood, Large late (table)	10	35	1.25
Extra Early Egyptian, French Grown	10	35	1.25
Mammoth Red Mangel-Wurzel, For Stock	10	25	80
Golden Tankard Mangel-Wurzel, For Stock	10	25	80

The above are all grown for our local gardeners trade, and are fine stocks.

### CARROT SEED.

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	4.0	7.1
OZ.	4 Ozs.	Lb. \$1.25
Danvers Half Long, L. I. Special	35	
Chantenay or Model, L. I. Special	35	1.25
St. Valery, Long pointed, Good bushel sort10	35	1.25
Improved Long Orange, Very fine strain10	35	1.25
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CAULIFLOWER SEED.		
Pkt Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Brill's Improved Snowball, (New,) very fine25 \$2.00	7.50	30.00
Henderson's Early Snowball, Standard sort 25 1.40	5.00	20.00
Early Dwarf Erfurt, Narrow leaf25 1.40	5.00	20.00
Early Dwarf Erfurt, Broad Leaf25 1.40	5.00	20.00
Brill's L. I. Beauty, Veryfine sort	5.00	20.00
Brill's Columbian White, Large White-Late 25 1.40	5.00	20.00
Thorburn's Gilt Edge, Similar to above25 1.40	5.00	20.00
Our line of Cauliflowers cannot be excelled anywhere	e. Long	Island
produces over 3,000 acres annually, and we have the very	best facil	ities for
testing stocks.		
Our Improved Snowball, is the finest, early, large white	solid eau	liflower
we ever saw.		
CELERY SEED.		
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Saford Superb Yellow: A superior strain of celery whi	ch bleach	es read-
ily in boards. Of a very stocky growth, medium height		
heart, and the eating qualities are far superior to any cel		
seen.		
Pkt Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
20 1.40	5.00	20.00
Golden Self-Blanching, French grown20 1.00	3.50	12.00
Golden Self-Blanching, American grown10 50	1.60	6.00
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White Plume, Simon's Perfection	80	3.00
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CUCUMBER SEED.  Oz. *Superior Dark Green, Good size, perfect shape10	4 Ozs. 30	Lb. 1.00
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CUCUMBER SEED.  Oz.  *Superior Dark Green, Good size, perfect shape	4 Ozs. 30 25 25	Lb. 1.00 .80
*Superior Dark Green, Good size, perfect shape. 10 Improved White Spine, Fine shipper. 10 Klondike White Spine, a Southern Favorite. 10 Early Fortune, Similar to above. 10 Long Island Pickling, Short green sort. 10	4 Ozs. 30 25 25 25	Lb. 1.00 .80 .80
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#### PEPPER SEED.

Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Early Neapolitan, Large and sweet20	70	\$2.50
Sweet Mountain, Large, mild and prolific	70	2.50
Large Bell or Bull Nose, Well known sort20	70	2.50
Ruby King, Very popular variety	70	2.50
*Ruby Giant, new, Extra fine	70	2.50
Sweet Upright, new, Thick flesh, very mild25	80	3.00
Chinese Giant, Seed always scarce	1.10	4.00
Ohio Crimson Giant, new, extra fine30	1.10	4.00
Pimento or Perfection	80	3.00
Long Red Cayenne, 4 in. long ½ in. thick20	70	2.50
Giant Cayenne, 5 in. long 1 in. thick	80	3.00
*The Ruby Giant is a cross between the Duby Vinc.		3.00

\*The Ruby Giant is a cross between the Ruby King and Chinese Giant, and a much better cropper than either parent, consequently the best pepper for market gardeners and truckers. Our stock is O. K.

#### SQUASH SEED.

Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Early White Bush, white "Patty Pan"10	25	.75
Summer Crookneck, Popular sort10	25	.75
Boston Marrow, Bright Orange10	25	.75
Improved Hubbard, Best Winter Sort	30	1.00

#### TOMATO SEED

Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Sparks Earliana, Extra early, red20	7.0	2.50
Langdons Earliana, Improved strain of above25	80	3.00
Chalk's Early Jewel, Solid, bright red	70	2.50
Bonny Best, Similar to above	70	2.50
June Pink, Very early, bright pink	70	2.50
Livingston's New Globe, Very fine purple	70	2.50
Livingston's Beauty, Well known, pink20	60	2.00
Livingston's Favorite, Large smooth red20	60	2.00
Livingston's Stone, Solid smooth scarlet20	60	2.00
Ponderosa, Largest of all, deep purple	80	3.00
Burpee's Matchless, Very large solid red	60	2.00
Dwarf Champion, Dwarf bushy plant, purple fruit20	70	2.50
Dwarf Stone Dwarf bushy plant, red fruit20	70	2.50
Rock Red, Large, late, very solid20	70	2.50

The above are a few of the most popular sorts of tomatoes, which are grown for us by a member of our family who makes a specialty of choice tomato seed.

#### MISCELLANEOUS SEEDS

Oz.	4 Ozs.	Lb.
Brussells Sprouts, Long Island Improved	70	\$2.50
Wards, True White Coords	9.5	6.0
Endive, Large Green Curled10	35	1.25
Leek, Large American Flag	35	1.25
Musk Mellon, Rocky Ford, Netted Gem	25	.80
Parsley, Triple or Moss Curled	30	1.00
Parsnips, Long Smooth, Hollow Crown05	15	.50
Radish, Scarlet Turnip, white tipped	25	80
Ruta Baga, Long Island Improved	25	.80
Salsify or Oyster Plant, Mammoth S. I	45	1.50
Spinach, Long Standing, Thick leaf	25	.80
Spinach, Bloomsdale Savoy leaf	25	.80
Turnip, Purple Top, White Globe	25	.80
Thumip, Purple Top Strap Leaf	25	.80
Water Melon, Tom Watson, very fine	25	.80
Nasturtium, Dwarf, Mixed	35	1.25
Nasturtium, Tall, Mixed	35	1.25

The above are all first class stocks that we carry for our local gardeners trade.

#### PANSY SEED.

We make a specialty of Choice Mixed Pansy Seed for florists. We save the seed from our own beds, mix it with best imported stocks of Danish Exhibition, Imperial German, Giant Ruffled and Mottled, Giant Five Spotted and Trimardeau Giant, making one grand mixture which we offer at 25c for large pkt.; \$1.00 per ½ ounce; \$3.50 per ounce.

FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA BEANS. We have some very fine stock. Write for prices stating how many wanted. Prices governed by zone distance. Liberal trial pkt. 10c post paid.

When comparing our prices with others, bear in mind we deliver everything free without extra charge.

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